

ESTABLISHED 1861

# SHARP TURN IN THE GALICIAN WAR SITUATION WITH GERMAN CHECKED THERE

And in Such Position as Not to Be Able to Send Troops to Italian Frontier.

THREE GREAT BATTLES  
Russians Assert That They Are Assuming the Offensive in the Baltics.

LONDON, June 12.—Although the British press has warned the public that it is too early to assert positively that the Austro-German armies in Galicia have been definitely checked and that General von Lindendorff's defeat on the Dniester has eased the pressure on Russia, it is nevertheless believed by many military commentators here that there has been a sharp turn in the situation in Galicia which will prevent Germany from transferring any considerable force of troops either to the West or to the Italian frontier. Some German forces, it is even declared, already have been detached from the Galician armies and hurried to the Isonzo front, but it is felt that even more men will be needed there if Italy keeps pressing on toward Trieste.

The latest official announcement from Petrograd asserts that the Russians have assumed the offensive along the Dubysa river and in the Baltic provinces and they concede the loss of ground nowhere except along the river, Pruth, in Bukovina.

Viewing the recent fighting in Galicia, in perspective, it may be divided roughly into three great battles. The chief of these was fought forty miles southeast of Lemberg, where the forces, under General von Linsingen, had not only crossed the Dniester, but had progressed some twelve miles beyond, getting astride of the Lemberg railroad. These were the forces which the Russians, apparently, have forced back with heavy loss, thus placing the river in Russian hands throughout.

The second great battle took place in the territory between Ugarsburg and Sydachow, and along this line the Russians claim to have repulsed the Germans with severe punishment. North of both of these areas and to the east of Przemyśl was the scene of the third battle. Here General von Mackensen, at the head of the main Austro-German force, was trying to penetrate due east to Lemberg through Mocsiska. By Wednesday, according to the Russian contention, the German check in this locality was complete.

Serbia, it appears, is continuing her systematic occupation of northern and central Albania and she may even now be in possession of Scutari.

## ADDITIONAL SUCCESSES FOR RUSSIAN TROOPS

PETROGRAD, June 12.—Additional successes for the Russian arms with the capture of many prisoners and guns are chronicled in an official statement issued at the war office tonight. Probably the most important of these victories was on the Dniester not far from Stry. Several villages also have been captured by the Russians on the left bank of the Dniester in the same region. In this fighting a section of the Prussian guard is said to have suffered severely. The report states that Stanislaw was evacuated voluntarily.

## AUSTRIANS EVACUATE AND BLOW UP A FORT

MILAN, Italy, via Paris, June 12.—The Austrians have evacuated and blown up Fort Pozzo Serbelloni, near Rovereto, according to a Secolo despatch. The fortress is a mile from Vallarsa, which has been occupied by the Italians and was one of the most formidable Austrian defenses in that section of the Tyrol. It was built four years ago at large expense.

## SERBIAN INCURSION IS DEFENDED BY PAPERS

BELGRADE, Serbia, June 12.—The Serbian press bureau issued a statement today defending the incursion of Serbian troops into Albania and concluding as follows: "Serbia realizes the Albanian question will be definitely settled by Europe, but she also is conscious of the fact that measures such as she is now taking are as much in the interests of the great powers as her own."

## FRENCH STILL MAKING PROGRESS THEY SAY

PARIS, June 12.—The French war office today gave out the following statement: "There is little to add to the announcement given out last night. We have made further progress in the region of Duval, to the north of Lorette and in the vicinity of the labyrinth. This morning a heavy fog prevailed to the north of Arras."

## MEN SAFE NOW.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 12.—George Marx and S. Franklin, the Americans under death sentence in Mexico, charged with circulating counterfeit money, are safe from execution until time has been given the United States to investigate their case. Consul Edwards, at Juarez, reported today that the court would furnish the evidence to the state department.

## TWO YEARS

In the Penitentiary for a Man Who Confesses to an Embezzlement Charge.

Leo L. Snodgrass confessed in the criminal court Saturday morning to the embezzlement of money from the Wells Fargo Express Company, while in its employ at the local railroad office of the company recently, and he was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary at Moundsville. Tony Smitt and Frank Smitt, brothers, both convicted of violations of the prohibition law, were given three months each in the county jail and on the roads and required to pay the costs and fines of \$100 each. Dorsey and Charley White, charged with the theft of wire from the Byron Coal Company and convicted of petit larceny, were sentenced to serve six months each in jail and on the roads and to pay the costs of prosecution.

## FRANK'S ATTORNEYS

Begin before Governor Slaton Final Efforts to Have Sentence Commuted.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 12.—Attorneys for Leo M. Frank today began before Governor Slaton, their final effort to secure commutation of their client's death sentence to life imprisonment. Former Congressman W. M. Howard, appearing in Frank's behalf, announced he would not present new evidence or introduce new witnesses, but would rely on the record of the case and such evidence as had already been laid before the Georgia prison commission. Governor Slaton announced he would hold a night session if necessary to conclude the hearing. Solicitor Dorsey, former Governor Joseph Brown, and A. E. Stephens were among those to oppose Frank's appeal for clemency.

## HOME FROM COUNCIL.

The Rev. Dr. Charles B. Mitchell, rector of Christ Episcopal church, returned Friday night from Parkersburg, where he attended the state council of his denomination and delivered an able sermon. He will fill his pulpit as usual tomorrow.

## DEMAND FOR GLASS RATHER SMALL NOW

Pittsburg Glassworker Declares Buying Orders Are Scarce This Week.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 12.—According to the Glassworker, there is but small demand for window glass. The Glassworker says: "Window glass buying was very light during the last week, with no change in market quotations. There is scant reason for any alarm in this direction, however, during the summer, as all of the hand operated and a number of machine plants have shut down, while those in operation are running at greatly reduced capacity."

The gravity of the international relations existing between this country and Germany, with the possibility of serious entanglements following the dispatch of the American second note to the German empire seems to have alarmed financial centers and may have some harmful effect on the building operations throughout the country from which so much was hoped in window glass circles. This may account for the lull in orders to a degree.

The opinion is still confidently expressed that all stocks now on hand will be entirely cleared away, however, during the summer months, and that there will be a very real and urgent need for the resumption of operations at all window plants not later than November.

The depression in the plate glass field continues and many factories which under normal conditions should be operating at a profit are now idle and practically all have greatly curtailed their production. The demand for wire glass shows an improvement, but polished mirror plate glass manufacturers have little business to brag of.

## HERE'S MARSHAL VON HINDENBURG WITH SAXON KING AT FRONT



First photograph of Marshal von Hindenburg with the King of Saxony actually at the front. Von Hindenburg is shown at the right. Behind him is General von Lindendorff.

## BANKERS READY

For Their Annual Meeting Which Will Be Held Here Friday Afternoon.

The bankers of Group Six are making arrangements for their annual meeting which will be held at the Clarksburg Country Club place next Friday. A special car will leave the traction station at Clarksburg at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon to convey the bankers to the club. Immediately following the business session dinner will be served at the club.

Announcements sent out by the country club state that both the golf course and the tennis courts will be in the best of condition and will be at the disposal of the bankers during their stay at the club. These features will no doubt be appreciated by the bankers during the intermissions between the business sessions. Group Six comprises the counties of West Virginia National Guard have received from Adjutant General John C. Bond communications stating that the First regiment will go into camp July 19, and the Second regiment July 29. The communications make no mention of the place of the regimental camps. It is the opinion of local officers that the camp will be either at Parkersburg, Camp Baker or Ravenswood.

Parkersburg seems to be the local pany. Parkersburg is quite accessible to most of the companies in the First regiment, as well as those of the Second regiment. The grounds are ideal for Parkersburg for drills and maneuvers. Most of the men are tired of camping on the Cheat river because of the many inconveniences. The dates of the camps have been fixed considerably earlier this year than has been the custom in former years. Last year the entire brigade camped at Caddell between August 15 and 28.

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## SALE OF LIQUOR

By Council is Published by the Gazette in City of London in Full.

LONDON, June 12.—The Gazette has issued the text of the order in council creating and defining the power of the central control of liquor traffic board to consist of a chairman and such other persons as the minister of munitions may appoint to control the sale and supply of intoxicating liquors in prescribed areas. The board is given power to regulate the hours of sale and even to prohibit entirely the sale of liquor and otherwise to accomplish its ends.

## TRAIN BANDITS

Rob Passengers of Money and Jewelry and Made Get-away with Their Booty.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., June 12.—Two masked robbers with revolvers drawn boarded a Southern Pacific train enroute from San Francisco to Los Angeles at Chatsworth at midnight last night, robbed passengers of \$365 and escaped. Men and women in the last four coaches of the train were compelled to give up their jewelry. After collecting their booty the robbers pulled a signal, stopping the train at Hewitt and fled.

## FIRES ON SHIP.

(By Associated Press.)  
PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—It was learned today that two fires yesterday in one of the holds of the British steamer, Penlee, loaded here with oats for France, was suspected of having been of incendiary origin. One fire was discovered in the morning and another in the same hold late in the afternoon.

## GUARD

Of the State Will Go into Annual Encampment in July.

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## ALLEGED PEACE DISTURBER.

Frank Oliverio, of Union Heights No. 2, was arrested Saturday and placed under bond to appear Monday afternoon in Magistrate R. Edward Kidd's court to answer a charge of threatening to kill Tony Vileo, a neighbor.

## "NAVAL POWER IS PARAMOUNT," SAYS ADMIRAL CHADWICK



The paramount part which reposes of the world, including that of the United States, have played in times of international crises—in many cases holding the scale between national triumph and desperate national defeat—is pointed out by Rear Admiral F. E. Chadwick in his book, "The American Navy," just published. Admiral Chadwick holds that the United States can only remain a world power through a navy of sufficient size and efficiency to "command safety and peace."

## MINERS ON TRIAL

Charged with Carrying Seven Gallons of Whiskey to Others.

Alfonzo Odochowski and Benjamin Brebick, coal miners, of Mount Clare, were taken from the county jail late Saturday afternoon and placed on trial in Magistrate W. E. Starcher's court on a charge of violating the prohibition law by importing whiskey for others. The men were arrested Friday evening at Mount Clare by Constable Wirt Stout just as they arrived there on a railroad train carrying seven gallons of whiskey in two suit cases. The whiskey was seized by the officer and taken to the county jail.

## PLEADS GUILTY.

Bileo Jerum, a foreigner of Richmond, pleaded guilty late Friday in Magistrate R. Edward Kidd's court to a charge of violating the prohibition law by carrying liquor in a suit case that was not properly labeled, and the magistrate fined him \$100 and costs and sentenced him to serve sixty days in jail and in the county roads.

## MINISTER CONVICTED.

PARKERSBURG, June 12.—In the federal court Friday afternoon Wesley Fleming of Roxburg, O., who during the last year has been posing as an evangelist and conducting revivals in this state, was found guilty of violating the Mann white slave law, and will receive his sentence late. He took Sadie Jamison of Richfield county, to Cincinnati for immoral purpose.

## President Bumpus is Formally Inaugurated

And Wisconsin University Dean Makes Appropriate Address on the Occasion.

TUFTS COLLEGE, Mass., June 12.—Dr. Herman C. Bumpus, who was elected president of Tufts College last September, was formally inaugurated today. Dr. Bumpus has held a number of important positions as a professor of biology and zoology, in the directorships of the biological laboratory of the United States Fish Commission at Woods Hole, Mass., and the American Museum of Natural History in New York, but from 1911 up to his election to the presidency of Tufts he was the business manager of the University of Wisconsin.

A theme of the inaugural day was "The Obligation of College to State," the subject of an address by Dr. Louis E. Reber, dean of the extension division of the University of Wisconsin. Defining this obligation as that of creating an intelligent public opinion, Dean Reber said "Even the most optimistic prophets have been compelled to admit a possible failure of our institutions, in adequate preparation of the great majority of the people, for the exercise of their privileges citizenship, whether in business relations, in social life or in politics."

He dealt with University Extension as the "carrying of the university to the people"—as a means to meet this obligation, and said: "The day is past, we may confidently believe, when those who aspire to leadership and the comparatively small numbers who can afford the luxury of a high pressure period of educational pursuits for the sake of personal pleasure and prestige alone may hope to claim the advantages of the splendid resources of the great educational foundations of the world. We are in an era which extends to the furthest limit."

## VILLA WILLING FOR NEW UNION

### FLAG DAY

Program of Clarksburg Lodge of Elks Will Be Rendered Monday Night.

Celebration of Flag Day by the local lodge of Elks at 8 o'clock Monday night in the lodge room will be a patriotic affair as provided for by the grand lodge of the order. The observance will be attended by members of the order only, although hereafter it is expected, the celebration will be of a public character. The full membership of the lodge is expected to attend and all visiting Elks are most cordially invited. The program will be as follows:

Introductory Exercises.  
Invocation... W. T. Byrd, chaplain  
History of the Flag... H. A. Heinze  
"Star Spangled Banner".... Elks Quartet  
Altar Service....  
Exalted Ruler and Officers  
Auld Lang Syne....  
Officers and Members  
Elks' Tribute to Flag... S. R. Bentley  
"Dixie".... Elks' Quartet  
Address on "Service".... Hon. A. K. Thorne  
"America".... All present  
Closing.... Exalted Ruler

## NEW STORE

Opening is Marked with Great Crowds of Visitors and Remarkable Success.

Great crowds unable to gain admission marked the opening of the new F. W. Woolworth Company's new five and ten cent store in the Imperial hotel building on West Main street Saturday morning. As they were able throngs passed in at the front door and out at the rear. The visitors found a large and complete stock of most modern goods in the five and ten cent lines, and a store most modern in every respect with a full complement of obliging clerks. The store starts most auspiciously and it has already become one of Clarksburg's most substantial and popular mercantile institutions.

## LOCOMOTIVE CONTRACT.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—Alvin B. Johnson, president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, said today that he had received a cable message from the Russian government awarding a contract to the company for 250 locomotives to be completed by the end of the present year. The order amounts to six million dollars.

## STEAMER TORPEDOED.

UTVERFOOL, June 12.—The British steamer, Landra, was torpedoed and sunk off Yarmouth today. The crew was rescued.

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The dazzling conception of an educational system under which, for every genius whose gifts are developed, there shall be prepared a multitude to share the benefits of the achievement—to utilize the material value of research—to appreciate and enjoy the masterpieces of art, of music and of literature.

The speaker told some of the results of Wisconsin work at Wisconsin, and after mentioning the use the state made of the university, in calling its men to serve on commissions, boards and committees, said: "Next to service to the government, Wisconsin is perhaps most widely known for the measures adopted in the introduction and spread of industrial education. When the act was passed providing education for employees between the ages of 14 and 16, it was believed that extension would become less valuable as an instrument of vocational education. Contrary to this expectation, in the cities the work shifted to a different, usually higher grade, and in the smaller towns, not affected by the law, the demand for elementary industrial training continued to grow."

"The results from this phase of extension teaching are great, but it must not be overlooked that courses of study adapted to the needs and interests of the owners of superintendence, may have wider social and economic value. The enlightenment of one employer frequently carries greater benefit to his community than the improvement efficiency of many employees."

"In every respect extension teaching corresponds to that carried on within the institution, with the exception that it includes a wider range of application. The languages, literature and the arts in addition to the scientific courses, are given by correspondence study and in classes. Furthermore, the work of the department of lectures is made highly inspirational and educational as will be accepted by the audiences addressed. Service devoted to general community improvement also holds an important place."

Mexican Rebel General Sends a Note to President Wilson to That Effect.

## AND A NOTE ALSO SENT

To General Carranzaz Asking the Latter to Agree to Conference of Leaders.

EL PASO, Tex., June 12.—General Villa in a note to President Wilson expresses willingness to "invite a new union of all Mexicans to work together to insure the triumph of the revolutionary principles, especially the agrarian problem and the extension of instruction among the poorer classes."

Another note signed by Francisco Villa has been despatched to General Carranzaz asking the latter to agree to a conference of leaders in Mexico "to unite and reorganize." The note states that propositions are being placed before Emiliano Zapata and Roque Garza.

No explanation from General Villa in this connection is had of the reported ousting of Garza from the capital at Mexico City. Garza was chosen provisional president by the Aguas Calientes convention of Mexican chiefs several months ago. The communication was formulated at a meeting of Villa and his staff at Aguas Calientes.

## BOY'S PARENTS

Promise to Pay for the Goods Stolen from Hornor's Store and They Are Dismissed.

Peter and Tony Lopez, Joseph and Frank Romano and two other boys of Kelly Hill who were recently arrested by Deputy Sheriff Laco M. Wolfe, on a warrant charging them with breaking into and robbing the general store of J. Lee Hornor and company at that place, were given a hearing in Magistrate Jackson V. Carter's court at 6 o'clock Friday evening. Upon agreement of the boys' parents, to pay for the goods stolen they were dismissed upon their promises to behave themselves in the future. The boys were all young, none of them being over ten years old.

## DR. DERNBERG

Bids Farewell to Friends in New York and Sails for Bergen, Norway.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Dr. Bernhard Dernberg, the former German colonial secretary, who has been in this country for several months during which time he has delivered several speeches defining the German point of view in the war, bade farewell to friends here today in preparation for his departure for Bergen, Norway. Dr. Dernberg will cross the ocean under an assurance of safe conduct given to the state department at Washington by the British, French and Russian embassies. No official announcement has been made as to whether he would remain in Scandinavian countries for a time or go direct to Berlin.

## SUNK

Is Another British Trawler by a German Submarine.

LONDON, June 12.—The British trawler, James Leyman, has been sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea. The crew was landed at Hull today. The submarine took the crew on board and then shelled the fishing boat. Later the crew was put adrift in the small boats of the James Leyman and ten hours elapsed before they were picked up.

## FAILS IN BATTLE.

BERLIN, via London, June 12.—Baron Ernst von Saalfeld, 19 years old, son of Prince Ernst of Saxe-Meiningen, has fallen in battle. His name is included in one of the latest casualty lists.

## TRAWLER SUNK.

LONDON, June 12.—The trawler, Waago, has been sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea. The members of the crew have been landed at Harpepool.

## TO PREACH.

The Rev. W. H. Foglesong, pastor of the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, South, will preach at the Baptist church at Glen Falls at 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

## ATTENDS BROTHER'S FUNERAL.

G. W. Ziegler, manager of the Main street store of J. C. McCrory and Company, has been called to Fort Rucker, Pa., to attend the funeral of his brother. During his absence the McCrory store is in charge of the cashier, Miss Arleta Landers.